



# Saint Peter the Apostle

Catholic Parish & School

**APRIL 7, 2024**  
**Divine Mercy Sunday**  
*Readings on page 992*

## *Mass Schedule*

Saturday Anticipated: 5:30 p.m.  
Sunday: 7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m.\*, 11:15 a.m.\*  
Holy Days: 8:30 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.  
Daily Mass: Monday - Friday at 7:30 a.m.

## *Reconciliation*

Saturday: 4:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

## *Parish Office Hours*

Monday-Friday: 8:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.



### **PASTOR**

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#### **SARAH SEWELL**

## *Flowers*

If you wish to have flowers on the altar for a specific weekend, please call the parish office.

## *Baptisms*

Please call the parish office at least six weeks in advance before you make any arrangements. Parents are required to attend a Baptism Class that is offered once a quarter.

## *Weddings*

Call the parish office at least six months in advance of the intended marriage. Please set no dates until the priest performing the ceremony has been consulted and the church of marriage is available.

## *New Parishioners*

If you have not yet had an opportunity to register in the parish, please take a Census Form from the narthex of the church or go to the parish website for instructions.



*All are  
Welcome*

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A **FORMED** Parish



# MASS INTENTIONS



## FOR THE WEEK OF APRIL 7, 2024

	<u>INTENTION</u>	<u>REQUESTED BY</u>
SUNDAY	St. Peter the Apostle Family and Friends	
	Michael Hoang .....	June & John Leung
	Caroline Henderson .....	Margaret & Ed Chapman
	Nancy Valenti .....	AnnMarie & Johnny Collins
MONDAY	Howard Stevens .....	Holly Rolfes
TUESDAY	Anna Chuc Nguyen .....	Loving Family
WEDNESDAY	Eleanor Sieger .....	James & Maureen Sieger
THURDAY	Fr. Michael J. Kavanaugh Ordination Anniversary .....	Michael J. Kavanaugh
FRIDAY	Michael E. Ogden .....	Dick & Genie Ogden
SATURDAY	John Thang Dang .....	Loving Family



April 7th after all Masses

and **DONUTS**

### K of C Second Sunday Breakfast

April 14th after 7:30 AND 9:00 a.m. Masses



The Annual Catholic Appeal: Faith, Hope, Charity Just a reminder! If you haven't yet made your pledge to the Annual Catholic Appeal, please consider

doing it this week. As good stewards, each of us has a responsibility to share our great gifts that come from God. Please be generous in your sharing and help us reach our parish target of \$82,127.



St Peters Basilica



### Rome & Foam

Fellowship – Dinner – Learning

April 21<sup>st</sup> - 6:00 pm

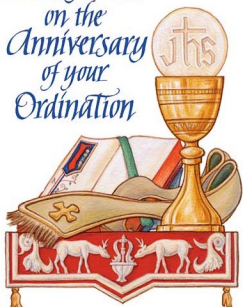
### Snug Irish Pub

Speakers: Gerrard & Minna MacLeod

Dr. and Mrs. MacLeod will speak on a ministry which they have developed, Savanda, Inc., which supports projects primarily focused on pre-natal care at Uganda Martyrs' Ibanda Hospital in Uganda, Africa.

*No signup required - simply show up*

BLESSINGS on the Anniversary of your Ordination



St. Peter the Apostle Parish parishioners and staff would like to wish our pastor, Fr. Michael J. Kavanaugh, a very Happy Anniversary as he celebrates 39 years of priestly service on April 11th. May God continue to

bless him each and every day!



# Upcoming EVENTS

**PARISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM (PREP)** Children in Kindergarten through 8th grade who do not attend a Catholic School should be attending PREP classes. Grades 2-8 meet on Wednesdays from 6:30 - 7:30 p.m. in the parish center and youth center. The last class for the year will be on April 24th. Sunday School for Kindergarten and 1st grade is held on Sundays. They attend the 9:00 a.m. Mass with their families and are taken to the youth center by their teachers before the readings. They will be returned to the church at Communion (no classes on April 7th). Please contact Paula Hubert at phubert@spacsav.net or 912-897-5156 for more information. The Sunday School program will end for the year on April 28th.

**LIFETEEN** is for students in grades 8-12. Wednesday night Bible Study is held from 5:00 - 6:00 p.m. in the youth center.

**CCW MEETING** will take place on Tuesday, April 16th at 6:30 p.m. in the parish center. There will be a Silent Auction and election of new officers.

**R.C.I.A.** Would you like to become Catholic or might? If so, we invite you to join next year's R.C.I.A. class. For more information, contact Phillip Paradise at philparadise@gmail.com or 803-221-2105.

**MEN OF ST. JOSEPH** meet every Wednesday at 6:30 a.m. in the parish office conference room for prayer and discussion of Sunday's gospel. All men of the parish are welcome.

**WOMEN'S BOOK STUDY** will meet in the youth center this Wednesday, April 10th from 1:45 - 3:00 p.m.. For information, contact Cathy Scanlon at 912-663-7173.



Inviting **all** students  
(grades 4<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>) who are interested in  
the Altar Server ministry  
to join us on:  
Saturday, May 18, 2024,  
from 9AM-10AM in the Church  
for the next training(or review) session.

"We cannot all do great things, but we can do small things with great love."  
St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta

Please contact Paula Hubert in the Parish Office with any questions: 912-897-5156.



## PARISH STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

March 31, 2024	
Easter Sunday:	\$29,362.00
Priests' Retirement:	\$ 6,280.00
March 24, 2024:	\$21,158.50
March 17, 2024:	\$14,509.00
March 10, 2024:	\$18,267.00
March 3, 2024:	\$21,005.00
February School Support:	\$ 5,064.00
February 25, 2024:	\$15,179.00
2023/2024 Weekly Goal:	\$20,258.00
2023/2024 Fiscal YTD:	\$818,328.00
2023/2024 Fiscal YTD +/-:	+\$ 36,847.00
2022/2023 Fiscal YTD:	\$714,379.00
(Fiscal year runs from July 1 to June 30)	

*Thank you for your most generous gifts to the Stewardship of Treasure. The offertory is the primary means of support for the parish and provides programs, support, and services to our parishioners, school, and community.*



**Confirmation will  
be held on October  
9, 2024 at 6:00 p.m.**

**Save the Date!**

**LIVE**

**FROM SAINT PETER'S,**


**it's**

**SNL**

**Auction 2024**

**April 20th**

**Parish Center**



**SPONSORSHIP PACKAGES** are available for this year's auction:

“Special Guest” - \$3,000 - 2 available; “Weekend Update” - \$1500 - 18 available; “Belushi” - \$1000; “Aykroyd” - \$500; “Church Lady” - \$250; Gift In Kind Donations. All sponsorship opportunities are outlined in the flyers available in the narthex of the church, in the school office and also the parish office. Please pick up a flyer and consider this donation request. Contact Sarah Sewell at 912-484-1154 or

[sarahsewell124@gmail.com](mailto:sarahsewell124@gmail.com).

Event website will be available soon at [SNLSPA.givesmart.com](http://SNLSPA.givesmart.com)

**TO ALL CATHOLIC FAMILIES REQUESTING OR RECEIVING CATHOLIC TUITION RATE AT ST. PETER THE APOSTLE SCHOOL**

A family must be:

- \* Registered in the Parish
- \* Attend Mass on all Sundays and Holy Days
- \* Participate in the Sacraments of the Church
- \* Go to confession at least once a year
- \* Participate actively in parish events
- \* Contribute regularly to the parish offertory in a recognizable way, by parish envelope or check

The same requirements hold for a family requesting verification for the Catholic tuition rate at Benedictine and/or St. Vincent's Academy. If you have any questions, please contact Clare Zeigler in the parish office at [czeigler@spacsav.net](mailto:czeigler@spacsav.net).

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION**

**Jesus is waiting for you!**

Offered Monday 8am through Wednesday 11pm in the Daily Chapel



**FORMED**

Free Catholic: Videos Movies eBooks MP3s

**FORMED - It's "Netflix for Catholics"** provided to you free of charge by St. Peter the Apostle Parish. Catholic movies, books, audios and more are available. There is content

available for children also. It's easy to do: 1. Go to [formed.org](http://formed.org) 2. Click SIGN UP. 3. Click I BELONG TO A PARISH 4. Find our parish by zip code. 5. After you click on our parish you will be asked to enter your email. Once you enter it and you are signed up! There is also an app for your phone which can be downloaded for free.

**ALTAR SERVERS FOR APRIL 13TH & 14TH**

**5:30 p.m.:** Eden Stanley, Caroline & Tommy Madison, Diego-Vigil Calderon

**7:30 a.m.:** Bridget Ryan

**9:00 a.m.:** Connor Corey, Luke Samaddar, Ben & Luke Moye

**11:15 a.m.:** Sam Turgeon, Edie & Joey Fobes, Ava Cutrer





Principal - Mrs. Wynter Kelly  
wkelly@spasav.net



*For more information or to  
schedule a school tour  
call 897-5224.*

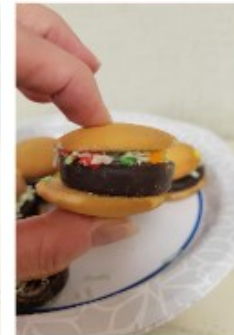
Director of Admissions: Helena Russell-hrussell@spasav.net  
Communication Coordinator: Ana Portman-aportman@spasav.net  
School Secretary: Shandra Peecksen-speecksen@spasav.net

## Another Great Week at SPA!

**Seventh grade visited Summer Breeze Senior Living to give out Easter cards and play bingo with the residents. They even ran into Mrs. DiBenedetto who taught Kindergarten at Nativity and St. Peter's.**



**Fifth grade started their project on the Industrial Revolution and inventors whose inventions changed the way we do things today. As a quick build, they were challenged to mass create the perfect "burger" in an assembly line.**



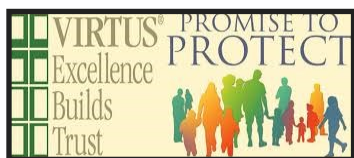
**TOGETHER** we live, pray, learn and serve, **TOGETHER** we make a difference.  
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*Saint Peter the Apostle School provides a quality Catholic education based on Gospel values and the teachings of the Catholic Church. Following the traditions of the Sisters of Mercy, the school educates through a strong academic program and instills in its students a spirit of mercy, justice, and loving concern.*

## Dinner Club

We will be starting a new rotation of our Dinner Club in the upcoming weeks.

Please watch the bulletin for details on signing up for our next gathering. If you have any questions concerning the Dinner Club, please call or text Cathy Scanlon at 912-667-7173.



Bishop Parkes has recently approved revisions to two documents for Safe Environments:

1. Ministerial Code of Conduct
2. Policy on the Sexual Abuse of Minors

**Every active volunteer and employee** must read and acknowledge **both** documents. To complete this task:

1. Log into your account at [virtus.org](http://virtus.org)
2. Go to the box marked "Required Documents." If it is pink, you have documents to sign
3. Right-click both document titles (Ministerial Code of Conduct **and** Sex Abuse Policy) and for each one, select "open link in new tab."
4. Read each document, scroll down, and apply your electronic signature.
5. Return to your Home tab to see if any other outstanding compliance items are required. To see the most up-to-date information after signing the documents, you may need to refresh the page by clicking the circular arrow at the top, near the URL.

***A Virtus Training will be held here at St. Peter the Apostle on Sunday, April 14th from 5:00 - 8:00 p.m. Please register online at [virtus.org](http://virtus.org).***

## Fertility Education & Family Planning Classes

FEMM is a women's health and wellness program that may be right for you and your family if:

- You wish to avoid or achieve pregnancy in a healthy, natural way that aligns with Catholic Church teachings
- You struggle with symptoms such as PMS, acne, weight gain/loss, or mood disorders
- You are postpartum and/or breastfeeding
- You just want to learn more!

Email [sarahschwamer@vitalityhhf.com](mailto:sarahschwamer@vitalityhhf.com) or scan the QR code to learn more and schedule a free information session.



## SPA Vacation Bible School

For children aged 4 years to rising 6th graders  
Cost: \$50/child  
(\$100 max/family)



July 8th - July 12th  
9:00 a.m. - noon  
Registration begins in May



APRIL IS NATIONAL  
**CHILD ABUSE**  
PREVENTION MONTH

Did you know...Child abuse can occur in every culture and every socio-economic demographic. This same research indicates that the vast majority of child abuse occurs at the hands of someone known to the victim. Those who seek to do harm to children will pursue opportunities that provide access to children and may even ingratiate themselves into the home. You can protect children by respecting the safe environment protocols established at youth serving organizations. More importantly, you can implement many of these protocols in your home and be ever observant and vigilant in all public and private settings.

**ABUSE HOTLINE NUMBER:** To report sexual abuse of a minor by a Diocese of Savannah employee or volunteer, call the abuse hotline number at 888-357-5330 or the Office for the Protection of Children and Young People, 201-4073/4. To read diocesan policy on sexual abuse of minors, go to the diocesan site at [www.diosav.org/childyouthprotection](http://www.diosav.org/childyouthprotection).





**+++ Pray for Our Loved Ones +++**  
 Gary Browning , Mary Jo Green (mother of Jenny Ferris),  
 Rev. Walter “Mike” Ingram

**AT HOME SICK:** Jean Nixon, Jennifer Narke, Fr. Dan Firmin, Nancy Stevens, Joyce Cullen, Mike Phillips, Kathleen Warezak, Noreen Mangiero, Kirby Willis

**NURSING HOMES, ASSISTED LIVING & REHAB FACILITIES:**

**Summer Breeze** - Joan Demcsak, Beth Hill, Eleanor Cerbone, Barbara Galluk, Lou DiBenedetto, Dennis Graney, Maryann Burke, John & Margo Lang, Patricia Lowenthal, Denise Szyper, Carolyn Groover **Buckingham South** - Carol Walsh, Tricia Christensen, Peter & Marceline Preston **Sunabella** - Kathy Wrenn **Azalealand** - Evelyn Edminster, Joe Harty **Harmony at Savannah** - Gayle Selcow **Tara** - Annie Vause **Pruitt** - Joe Robertson

**OUT OF TOWN SICK:** Anna O’Brien, Sarah Moak (daughter of Susan Parsley), Joseph Rehal (nephew of Francesca Rehal), Linda Campbell, Don & Carol Gray, Carol Cillande (sister-in-law of Lucille Rabusin), Florence Reynolds, Frank Graziano, Jr. (brother of Terri Santiago), Fr. Dan O’Connell, Mick McCombs, Bernie Beier, Mary Pawlowski, Bert Grant (friend of the Dobson family), Cynthia Browning, Amanda Mizelle Fanning



**St. Peter the Apostle Parish  
 Upcoming Events**



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p><i>April 7</i></p> <p><b>Coffee &amp; Donuts after Masses</b></p> <p><b>Chaplet of Divine Mercy 3:00 pm</b></p>	<p><i>April 8</i></p> <p>Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p>	<p><i>April 9</i></p> <p>Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p>	<p><i>April 10</i></p> <p>Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am Men of St. Joseph 6:30 am parish office</p> <p>Women’s Book Study 1:45-3pm youth center</p> <p>Lifeteen Bible Study 5-6pm youth center</p> <p>PREP grades 2-8 6:30 pm</p>	<p><i>April 11</i></p> <p>Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p> <p><b>ALPHA 6:30-8:30 pm parish center</b></p>	<p><i>April 12</i></p> <p>Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p> <p><b>School Mass 8:30 am</b></p>	<p><i>April 13</i></p> <p>Rosary 5pm</p>
Eucharistic Adoration 8am Monday-11pm Wednesday						
<p><i>April 14</i></p> <p><b>K of C Second Sunday Breakfast</b></p> <p><b>Sunday School for 4-6 year olds during 9am Mass</b></p>	<p><i>April 15</i></p> <p>Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p> <p><b>ALPHA 6:30-8:30 pm parish center</b></p>	<p><i>April 16</i></p> <p>Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p> <p><b>CCW 6:30 pm parish center</b></p>	<p><i>April 17</i></p> <p>Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am Men of St. Joseph 6:30 am parish office</p> <p>Women’s Book Study 1:45-3pm youth center</p> <p>Lifeteen Bible Study 5-6pm youth center</p> <p>PREP grades 2-8 6:30 pm</p>	<p><i>April 18</i></p> <p>Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p>	<p><i>April 19</i></p> <p>Rosary 7am Mass 7:30 am</p>	<p><i>April 20</i></p> <p>Rosary 5pm</p> <p><b>6:30 pm SPA School Auction</b></p> <p><b>“Live from St. Peter’s, it’s SNL”</b></p>
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